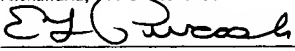


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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action of 09 July 2008 for the above-captioned application, enclosed is the following:

- ◆ Amendment Under Rule 116

If this amendment is entered, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the excess claim fee for seven additional independent claims, along with any other fees due in connection with this filing, to our Deposit Account No. 50-3013.

Respectfully submitted,



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**AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116**

In response to the Office action dated 9 July 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.